



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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In re the Application of:

Confirmation No.: 3168

TSUHASHI et al.

Art Unit: 2111

Serial No.: 09/713,024

Examiner: J. King

Filed: November 16, 2000

Docket No.: 108066-00018

For: CLOCK SWITCHING CIRCUIT FOR A HOT PLUG

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Director to the U.S. PTO
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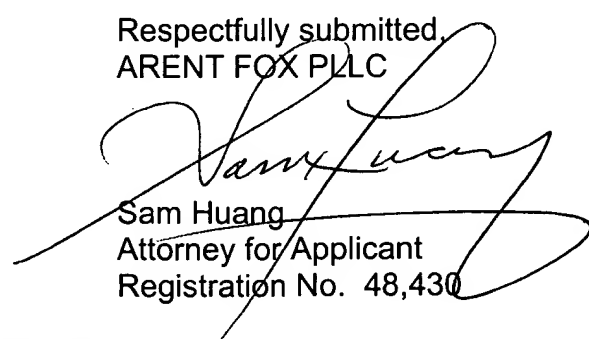
January 19, 2005

Sir:

Applicants petition the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated July 22, 2004 for three (3) months from November 22, 2004 until January 22, 2005.

A check in the amount of One Thousand Twenty Dollars (\$1,020.00) to cover the cost of the extension fee is enclosed. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency or credit any overpayment associated with this communication to Deposit Account No. 01-2300 referencing Attorney Docket No. 108066-00018.

Respectfully submitted,
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